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# BROTHERS NURSERY CO.

MAIN GROUNDS, OFFICE AND PACKING SHEDS EARL AVE. AND CASON STREET. NURSERY TRACTS EAST UNION STREET



Fruit and Ornamental Trees
Shrubbery and Small Fruits
LAFAYETTE, IND.



## TO OUR CUSTOMERS

We take pleasure in presenting here our 1926 Catalog, a guide to our collection of Fruits, Ornamental Trees, Shrubs, and Vines. Our list does not include everything but it does include the best varieties for this section of the country. We do not now or ever did grow anything which does not live and thrive well in this climate.

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the kind patronage given us in the past years and to assure those whom we hope to have as new customers that the business given to us will be handled carefully and correctly. The Fry Bros. Nursery has ever received an order with true appreciation and the sense of responsibility we assume in realization of your confidence in so trusting us with your favored patronage.

### QUALITY

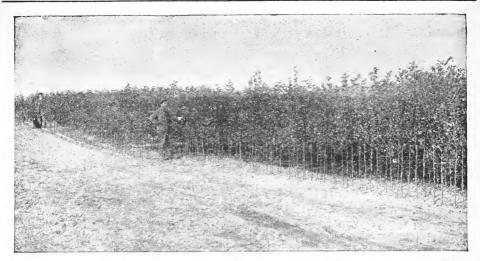
Never in our catalogs of other years have you seen headlines of "Pedigreed" Plants or "Thoroughbred" or such like. We have never resorted to such selling tactics. You may call our plants and trees what you like. It is our aim to produce Nursery Stock as good as can be grown and to send out only first class stock. Trees and shrubs are grown in rows widely separated, so all may have room for development. They are cultivated constantly, transplanted frequently, and pruned and trained correctly so that they will meet perfectly the needs of those who desire Nursery products of unusual quality. You may read our Guarantee on another page and back of this we still stand with our absolute promise—"You must be satisfied."

### PRICES

Considering quality, and grade, and size we will not be outsold by any Nursery in America. We sell at lowest possible prices on the smallest margin of profit. We sell direct to the purchaser through this catalog. We employ no agents. There is only one small profit on anything you buy from this Nursery Company.

## FRY BROTHERS Nurseries

Andrew J. Fry LAFAYETTE, INDIANA John D. Fry



# PLEASE READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS AND HELP US TO SERVE YOU BEST

EVERY ORDER—Acknowledged on receipt of same.

WHEN TO PLANT—Planting can be done any time trees or bushes are in dormant condition and ground not frozen. Through our section Spring planting begins about middle March and up to middle of May. Fall planting season opens near Oct. 1 and continues to Dec. 1.

TRANSPORTATION CHARGES—Are paid by us. We ship either by Parcel Post or Express. You know exactly what the stock will cost you when you remit us the Catalog price. There will be nothing farther to pay when the stock arrives at the Express office or at your home by Parcel Post.

WHEN TO ORDER—Send in your order soon as this catalog reaches you. You are then certain to get the varieties and the sizes you desire. Specify the date when you wish order shipped, remember that sometimes rains stop our field work and the digging of stock, but we make every effort to get off your order on the day you specify.

HOW TO REMIT—Use your personal check if convenient, or Postal money order, Express order, or Registered letter. Postage stamps accepted on small orders. You may send any amount in payment with order and the balance anytime before shipment.

C. O. D. SHIPMENTS—For the past three years we have discontinued shipments under this plan. A C. O. D. label attached to an order seriously delays it in transit. Nursery stock is perishable and we wish it placed in our Customers hands at the earliest possible time after leaving our Packing sheds.

**SAFE ARRIVAL**—We absolutely Guarantee delivery in good condition. If the Customer will notify us promptly that the shipment arrived in damaged or unsatis-

factory condition through any cause we will make immediate adjustment.

**OUR PRICES**—Are as low as dependable Nursery stock can be sold. If you are planting in amount of over \$50.00 worth of stock we will be glad to have you send in the list of needed varieties and occasionally we can name lower price than catalog on varieties where we have extra large unsold stock in fields. There is a saving on our expenses in filling such sized ordrs in proportion to many small ones and we are willing to give the customer this profit. On all orders below amount of \$50.00 the Catalog list price must govern in all cases. Our prices are the same to all.

**SUBSTITUTION**—We will not substitute varieties without first writing you for permission. After May 1 it is getting late to take time for correspondence and it seems to the Customer's interest for us to substitute on exhausted varieties for one that is similar and as good as one ordered. After May 1 note after any variety "No Substitution" and we will refund money if unable to fill with the variety named.

REFERENCES—For new Customers we are pleased to refer them for references as to our reliability, the Commercial Agencies, First Merchants National Bank, Post-

master, or Express Agent all of Lafayette, Indiana.

## HANDY REFERENCE TABLE

The Age of bearing is dependable on variety, climatic conditions, soil, and care given. The figures we give are based on average conditions.

	Age of Bearing	Distance Apart .	No. per Acre
Apple, Standard	3 to 6 years	35 ft. x 35 ft.	35
Apricots	3 years	16 ft. x 16 ft.	160
Asparagus	2 years	4 ft. x 18 in.	7260
Blackberries	1 year	7 ft. x 30 in.	1900
Cherries	3 to 4 years	. 16 ft. x 16 ft.	160
Cumonta	2 vears	4 ft. x 4 ft.	2722
Gooseberries	2 years	4 ft. x 4 ft.	2722
Grapes	2 years	8 ft. x 8 ft.	680
Horseradish	1 year	$3$ ft. $\times$ $1$ ft.	14520
Peaches		16 ft. x 16 ft.	160
Pears, Standard		20 ft. x 20 ft.	108
Plums	3 to 4 years	16 ft. x 16 ft.	160
Quinces	4 to 5 years	10 ft. x 10 ft.	435
Raspberries, All Varieties		6 ft. x 3 ft.	1975
Rhubarb		4 ft. x 3 ft.	3630
Strawberries	l year	42 in. $\times$ 15 in.	9700
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The above planting distances are for large field plantings and the Commercial growers. For the amateur or small back yard plots the distances in all the varieties can be cut down to one half or so, as more care is given in the cultivation and pruning back, etc.

#### OUR CUSTOMERS ORDER FROM YEAR TO YEAR

Noblesville, Ind., April 3, 1925.

Fry Bros. Nursery, Lafayette, Ind.

Dear Sir: I am ordering the following plants. I received an order from you last year and everything we ordered was fine and such hardy plants, and all green. And I want to thank you for the beautiful rose bush you sent me free. It was grand. Thanking you in advance—Mrs. L. W. Daily.

#### OUR EXPERT PACKING INSURES SAFE ARRIVAL

Springfield, Ill., March 31, 1925.

Fry Bros. Nursery Co.,

Lafayette, Ind.

My Dear Sirs: Received peach trees alright and am well pleased with them. Expect to buy next spring and will remember you. Will ask your advise if I shall cut some limbs off these trees or top them. Please do this and I will be much obliged.—John Mizeur.

#### RECOMMENDS OUR NURSERY TO THEIR FRIENDS

Lewisville, Ind., March 27, 1925.

Fry Bros. Lafayette, Ind.

Dear Sirs: Please send your catalog to the following as I have talked to them about your Plants and Shrubs and they asked me to send for your catalog. I am certainly well pleased with all I ever bought of you. Yours respectfully—Mrs. W. C. Pierson

### FRY BROS. GUARANTEE

We guarantee delivery in good condition. No human action can be more exacting than ours in keeping our stock true to name. We warrant it true to the label under which it is sold. If any trees or plants prove untrue in bearing we will replace the items or refund purchase price. Obviously we can not assume further responsibility. Our growing stock is passed on by the State Inspectors. We guarantee to place our stock in your hands, in good growing condition, to be alive, free of insects, and disease.



# **STRAWBERRIES**



Planted between the rows of trees in a young Orchard they will pay all the expenses of bringing the Orchard into profitable bearing and yield a handsome profit besides.

CARE OF PLANTS ON RECEIPT—Our plants are packed in moss specially adapted for this purpose. The small orders are in packages with water proof paper, the larger Express orders we ship in crates. The plants are fresh dug for each order and are guaranteed to reach you in best growing condition. Set immediately if soil and weather conditions are right. If not the shipment left as it is can be placed in a cool dry place for two or three days. If rains continue and other causes make it impossible to plant after this time, then the bundles must be opened and dip the roots in water and open each bundle of plants (they are packed 25 in bundle) and spread out thinly in an open trench and then firm the dirt well up about the roots just leaving the crowns out. In this way plants will be in splendid condition for several weeks. It is alright occasionally to sprinkle water over them. NEVER WET

SETTING OUT—Use care here also. Don't expose plants a long time to the wind and sun. If day is cloudy plants can be dropped on the ground ahead of the setters for quite a distance, but if sun is bright and hot we always place several bundles of plants in a shallow pan or basket and cover them over entirely with the damp moss and just open a bundle at a time and remove a single plant at a time from the pan and set it.

OR POUR WATER OVER PLANTS IN

THE CRATES.

PREPARATION OF GROUND AND CULTIVATION—The same rules apply as if you were handling another garden crop. Cultivate frequently and keep soil mellow and free of weeds. The new runner plants develop through July and soon extend out and make you nicely matted rows.

SOIL—Any ground that raises corn or oats will produce big paying crops of Strawberries. However remember that there are only a few varieties that succeed on several different textures of soil. Many sorts require a particular type of ground to yield paying crops. Read our descriptions of varieties carefully. We are growing the best varieties for Indiana and the adjoining states. Ex-



OUR ROOT SYSTEM

for Indiana and the adjoining states. Experienced since 1900 in the market growing of strawberries the Fry Bros. Nursery makes the claim to have about discovered the type of soil preference to every variety listed in this catalog. Your success is our interest and gain and our endeavor is to furnish you the variety that will give you the maximum yield possible to obtain.

BY ALL MEANS SET STRAWBERRY PLANTS IN THE SPRING. THE MONTH OF APRIL IS THE MOST PRACTICAL TIME OF ANY SEASON OF THE YEAR FOR THE SETTING OF PLANTS.

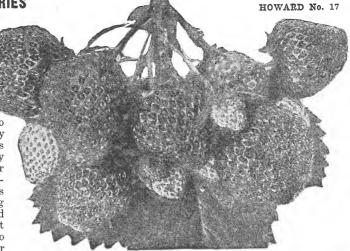
### EARLY STRAWBERRIES

Howard No. 17 Greatest Early Strawberry of Them All.

Until the advent of Howard No. 17 it seemed almost impossible to find an extra early strawberry that was satisfactory in every way. In our test over many years of a number of the early types we found the following faults: too soft, ripened with green tips, light red and poor color, no flavor, poor quality, or

GIBSON

STRAWBERRIES



the berries rapidly dwindled in size after the first two pickings to not be worth further harvesting. All of these points have been eliminated in the Howard No. 17.

FRY BROS. MAKE MOST CONCLUSIVE TEST ON STRAWBERRY VARIETIES FOR COMMERCIAL GROWING EVER MADE IN INDIANA.

In the year of 1923 we made a planting of 22 varieties on a large enough scale to determine the Strawberry for the Indiana Grower. We did not use a little testing plot of a square rod or so, but our rows were a length of 40 rods and ran through black ground and up over a rise of heavy clay and then dipped down again to mixture

of clay and black. This type of soil is to be found on nine-tenths of the farms of Indiana, or the adjoining states. The following summer of 1924 proved a mighty rainy season during the strawberry ripening. The old dependable varieties of Dunlap, Aroma, Gandy held their own and were no disappointment as to their expectations. Figuring from all angles of the Strawberry business, Production, Harvesting, Marketing:

#### HOWARD NO. 17 STOOD SU-PERIOR TO THEM ALL.

This greatest of all improvements in an extra early strawberry was first introduced through Indiana by the FRY BROS. NURSERY. Originated in Massachusetts and grown commercially for 17 years before becoming available for distribution after exclusive testing by State Experiment stations throughout the eastern section of the United States. We believe that every large grower will agree with us that the money in Strawberries is in an early Berry or a late berry. We have all found that always for a few days during the ripening of the Mid-season varieties because of their heavy yield and the number of berries put on the market it caused production to exceed demand, and yet in spite of these few days of low prices the midseason berry will make you money.

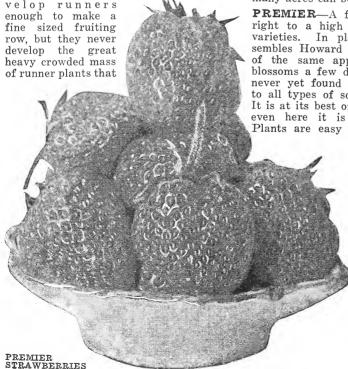
The HOWARD NO. 17 will make you more money per acre than Dunlap because it is placed on the market a week ahead of it and the price hardly varies from 5 to 6 dollars per crate.

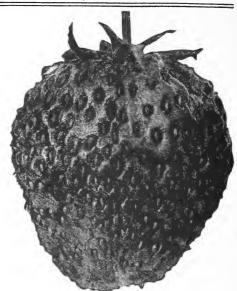
HOWARD NO 17 will make you more money than Gibson although it will not out-yield it. Howard's earliness on the market together with its wonderful firmness against all conceivable weather conditions places it on the profit winning side.

HOWARD NO. 17 will make you more money than either Gandy or Aroma for although both these fine varieties come on when the flood time of berries have passed and the prices are again trending upward we have always found the price paid and the demand for the extra Early Howard still greater.

The Howard berry is long conical in shape, has rich glossy appearance, a bright red clear through to the heart, large size, slightly tart in taste and so firm in texture it can be shipped to distant markets.

The plants de-





SUBACH STRAWBERRY

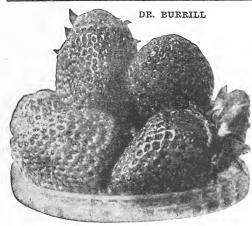
the Dunlap does. This is the reason the Howard plants in the genuine strain can never be sold cheaply. The demand will be greater than ever this year for plants and we hope you will allow us to book your order early. It is perfect blossom, many acres can be set alone.

PREMIER—A fine variety and has its right to a high place among the early varieties. In plant growth closely resembles Howard No. 17, also berries are of the same appearance. It opens its blossoms a few days ahead and we have never yet found Premier to adapt itself to all types of soil as does the Howard. It is at its best on heavy sandy loam, but even here it is hardly as productive. Plants are easy to grow and we sell a

great number each season. Perfect blossom.

#### SENATOR DUNLAP

-More plants of Dunlap are grown through the Northern United States than any other This grand variety. variety is too well known to need a lengthy description. Plants are small in size and are reproduced in great numbers making restriction of the rows necessary. It is unusually healthy and vigorous adapting itself to any



clay, black or sandy loam soil, or climate. The fruit is medium large, conical in form, regular in size, and never mis-shapen. Dark glossy red in color. It is a splendid keeper and shipper, most excellent in quality, making it a popular berry for canning, market, or shipping. Classed as a second early and lasts till middle June with us. Perfect Blossom. DR. BURRILL-A scientific cross of Dunlap and Crescent as the result of experiments by Dr. J. R. Reasoner of Urbana, Ill., who originated the Senator Dunlap. There is no difference in its berries and those of the Dunlap. serve the leaves to be a different green and no doubt tougher which makes them very disease resisting. Same season as Dunlap.

where it originated. We have fruited it two years on our grounds and it has thrived on both clay and black soil. Plants extra large, strong growers and of a decidedly upright habit of growth. All growers have referred to it as the largest berry grown. A beautiful bright red color, deliciously sweet in flavor. The picking season extends over several weeks and we really believe the Cooper gives great promise of becoming the leading berry of its season.

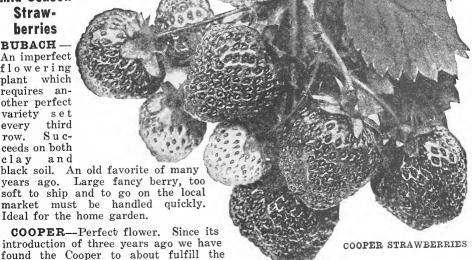
GIBSON-Perfect flowering. We have always had success with Gibson. Our experience has shown Gibson to be at its very best on heavy sandy loam. In wet summers it suffers on heavy clay, berries losing their firmness. Considering all points it is likely the most dependable for a money maker of all the mid-season varieties. Ripens all through June with us. Is one of the most popular market varieties. Fruit stems are large and strong. The dark green foliage is ample protection for the blossoms and fruit. A fine pollenizer for imperfect varieties. Berry is extra large and regular wedge shape, a deep rich red extending from surface to center. Our low price on plants brings the planting cost down to the minimum with ample asssurance of big profits for you next year.

Does it pay to ship Plants across the Continent? Our stock usually reaches you day after leaving our grounds.

#### Mid-Season Strawberries BUBACH -An imperfect flowering which plant requires another perfect variety set third everv row. Succeeds on both clay a n d black soil. An old favorite of many years ago. Large fancy berry, too

market must be handled quickly. Ideal for the home garden. COOPER—Perfect flower. Since its introduction of three years ago we have found the Cooper to about fulfill the

claims of the Michigan people, the section



UNCLE JIM-For those who desire to grow the very best in Strawberries. A type of the old Corsican variety, the highest in quality and sweetest of all Strawberries. Berries are extra large, bright red, very juicy, plants are strong growers and large, perfect flowering. Succeeds on clay and black soil. Would say the berry is not firm enough to grow on large scale for the market. About the finest eating strawberry of them all and recommended for the Home Garden, for those desiring the best.

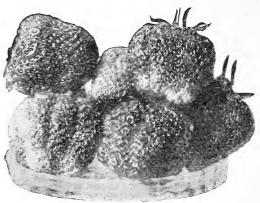
WM. BELT—Per Blossom. Succeeds

WM. BELT—Per Blossom. Succeeds on medium light clay and black soil. Came from southern Ohio and named from the originator. Is of excellent

flavor and of beautiful appearance. The first berry to ripen on each stem is apt to be cox combed which are very large and fill the quarts rapidly. The later berries change to an even conical shape. The plant growth is wonderful making strong plants with an abundance of healthy foliage, setting just about enough runners to make a nice fruiting row.

### **LATE VARIETIES**

**AROMA**—Perfect flower. Succeeds on all soils except light sand. Most widely grown of any berry in the United States because it adapts itself to climate from Minnesota to Texas. One of the greatest of all market berries and stands shipping great distances. Hold firmness even under the most adverse weather conditions. We sell more Aroma plants than of any of the other late varieties. Fruits up into early July with us. The plants are large and thrifty and make a nice attractive picking row which is a good yielder of large, rich, red berries. Whether it be for the home garden or the large Commercial grower we recommend the Aroma as it is sure to please you in every way.

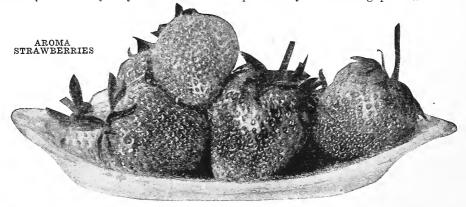


KELLOGGS PRIZE

GANDY—Perfect flower. The latest to ripen of any standard strawberry we have ever grown. Should be planted on heavy clay or the very heaviest of black ground. The price of Gandy berries ripening as late as they do makes it a reliable berry to plant on quite a considerable scale. Ripening as it does when the others are practically gone the demand is never supplied. Gandy is extra large, firm, well colored, high quality. Plants are healthy, hardy, and do well both north and south.

KELLOGGS PRIZE—Imperfect flower, requiring the setting of other varieties near it. We have never found the Prize to develop a high quality with us in any season, but it is a wonder in production. Should go on heavy types of soil. A beautiful conical shape and large.

SAMPLE—Also imperfect flowering and needs another variety near. As much a favorite as Aroma with us for a late berry. Plant on medium or heavy soils. Large berry, conical shape, dark seeds. It is hard to beat when it comes to large dependable yields and big profits.



## **EVERBEARING STRAWBERRIES**

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We were among the very first to test and try out the Everbearing Strawberry upon its discovery and introduction. This was back in 1907 and the first variety was the Superb. Improvements quickly followed and the Progressive soon superseded it and is today probably the most widely planted of all the other numerous varieties over the Northern United States. In order to make sales and without the least interest of their customers in mind certain Nurseries have unreservedly recommended the Everbearer

for planting anywhere and everywhere. The policy of the FRY BROS. NURSERY has always been to obtain sales on stock only on which there is a practical expectation of gain for the customer. There are only a few scattered sections in Indiana where the Everbearing Strawberry can be planted in large commercial acreage and grown with a profit. They are the most particular as to soil of any thing that grows, marketing and harvesting also becoming a problem. They require a certain property in soil and whether it be black or clay it seems a trace of sand is necessary. An experimental planting is necessary to determine if your soil has these properties and then if it is found so you could set a larger planting to advantage as there are certain towns in the state which have proved good markets and are willing to

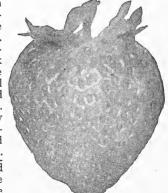
pay 40 cents a quart for the Everbearers through the Summer and Fall months. In quality they have never been excelled by any Strawberry and it is indeed a treat to have nice ripe strawberries on your table all through August, September, and October. For this reason we have always recommended the Everbearer for the home garden. Many have found after a trial planting they have the right soil and they have derived the greatest success and satisfaction from their Everbears. So if not already growing them we would advise you giving the trial of several rows across your garden.

GIANT NO. 999—In experiments on many varieties of Everbearers we found the very best one in the Giant No. 999 and we propogated enough plants to begin offering it to our Customers in just a few years after its introduction in the year 1910. Our claim has held so each and every season and is the same today. While the Michigan people come out with a new and better one each spring and the next spring a still better one.

The Giant No. 999 is superior to the Progressive in that it seems slightly more adapted to a wider range of soils. Large in size of berry and plants. Strong growers,

adapted to a wider range of soils. Large in size of berry extra hardy and always start producing ripe berries in middle July. Berries dark red, very sweet, evenly colored, BIG, JUICY, DELICIOUS. Get a start of the Giant No. 999 the greatest thing in Everbearers today. PROGRESSIVE—Of all the Everbearers the Progressive has the most perfect blossom. You can pick ripe berries in 100 days after setting Progressive plants. We have found it to be at its best on cool moist sandy loam. Resembles Dunlap in size, color and shape of berry. Plants strong grower and productive. CHAMPION—We tried out the Champion immediately after the great claim in Michigan. We found it closely resembles Progressive, it is not any better and there would be no advantage in planting it ahead of this variety.

FRY BROTHERS NURSERY STOCK being shipped carrying charges prepaid means quicker delivery to the Customer and the exact cost is known at a single glance at our Catalog list.



GIANT No. 999

## THIS CATALOG AND PRICES GOOD ALL THROUGH YEAR

We urge our Customers if possible to get all planting done in early spring. If you delay till Autumn practically a year is lost. Strawberries by all means should be set in spring. While Shrubbery and Trees transplant with good results in Fall you must realize by so delaying and putting off spring planting you have lost the Summers growing season. All our prices named in this catalog are good up to Dec. 31, 1926 and remember in all cases the FRY BROS. NURSERY pays all the Transportation Charges on their Nursery Stock whether the order be large or small.

#### FRY BROS. PRICES ON STRAWBERRY PLANTS

	$\operatorname{Per}$	$\operatorname{Per}$	$\operatorname{Per}$	Per	$\operatorname{Per}$	$\operatorname{Per}$	Per
	25	50	100	200	300	400	1000
Aroma\$	.45	\$ .70	\$1.10	\$1.75	\$2.20	\$2.65	\$6.00
Cooper	.50	.80	1.20	1.95	2.75	3.40	8.00
Dr. Burrill	.40	.65	.95	1.40	1.80	2.10	4.80
Gandy	.45	.70	1.10	1.75	2.20	2.65	6.00
Gibson	.45	.70	1.10	1.75	2.20	2.65	6.00
Howard No. 17	.50	.80	1.20	1.95	2.75	3.40	8.00
Kellogg's Prize	.50	.80	1.20	1.95	2.75	3.40	8.00
Premier	.50	.80	1.20	1.95	2.75	3.40	8.00
Sample	.45	.70	1.10	1.75	2.20	2.65	6.00
Senator Dunlap	.40	.65	.95	1.40	1.80	2.10	4.80
Uncle Jim	.50	.80	1.20	1.95	2.75	3.40	8.00
Wm. Belt	.45	.70	1.10	1.75	2.20	2.65	6.00
EVERBEARING	STR	AWBERF	RIES				
Champion	.75	1.10	1.70	2.90	4.00	5.00	12.00
Giant No. 999	.75	1.10	1.70	2.90	4.00	5.00	12.00
Progressive	.75	1.10	1.70	2.90	4.00	5.00	12.00

Amounts of 500 or over priced at the 1000 rate.

If your order is 1000 or less on Strawberry plants we likely ship by Parcel Post. Larger orders by Express. In all cases we guarantee arrival in good growing condition and we Prepay all Carrying Charges. These are big items to consider when comparing prices in other catalogs.

#### OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT

Liberty, Ind., March 17, 1925.

Fry Bros. Company, Lafayette, Ind.

Gentlemen:—I suppose I have mislaid your order blank and I am in a hurry now for Gooseberry bushes, so please send at once: 12 large 2 yr. old Chautauqua. Your prices are the most reasonable I receive and plants bought of you last year were very nice. I expect to still order again of you a little later. Yours very truly,

Miss Ethel M. Coleman.

#### RE-ORDERS AFTER TWO YEARS

Elizabeth, Ind., March 16, 1925.

Fry Bros. Nursery Co., Lafayette, Ind.

My Dear Sirs:—Enclosed find \$...... for which send me the following ...... Kindly send the Grapes and Asparagus at once by Parcel Post. The plants I got from you in 1923 were certainly fine.

Yours respectfully,

Louis Kessinger.

Chrisman, Ill., April 4, 1925.

#### FRY BROS NURSERY:

I received the California privet and they were certainly nice plants. I just need 12 more. I enclose \$1.00 and if there be remainder due me, just send a Spirea Houtte. I will recommend your nursery whenever I can. Thanking you for past favors.—Mrs. Herbert S. Brown.

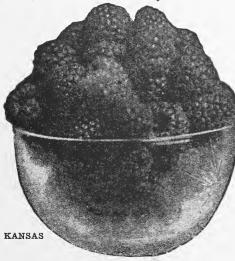
## RASPBERRIES

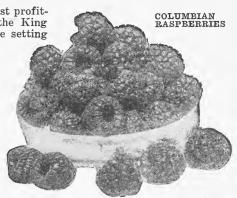
Either Red or Black varieties are a most profitable crop. However the Black Caps are the King of the Raspberries. The large growers are setting

of the Kaspberries. The large growers a more Black Raspberries every year. Some will set a larger acreage this spring to these than they will Strawberries. They start bearing the second summer after planting and the Canes remain in profitable fruiting for 6 to 8 years thereafter. The Commercial Grower must have Raspberries to supply Customers he had through the Strawberry season. Our supply of plants this year was never larger or finer and we urge you to get planting done before May 1 as the new leader shoots by that time are making some growth and this affects some the vitality of the plants.

### **BLACK RASPBERRIES**

CUMBERLAND—We sell more Cumberland plants than all other varieties put together. Most productive, most reliable, most profitable of all the Black Caps, if it were not the growers would not plant it so extensively. There is no better variety for your garden or field culture. 50 bushes will supply you in fresh fruit, but for canning you should plant a larger amount. Remember all Raspberry blossoms are self pollonizing which often accounts for a large crop when other fruit varieties fail. Cumberland Raspberries are large, firm, and not "seedy," ripening all over. They are a plush black making them very attractive. We guarantee our Cumberland plants to be first class in every way, free of Disease and True to Name. Because of the heavy demand for





### **PURPLE RASPBERRIES**

COLUMBIAN—We only grow this one variety. We recommend it for the home garden. The Purple Caps can not be grown profitably for the market as their color is against them. Ideal for the home garden. A great canning berry, high quality, larger than any Black Cap, productive and hardy. We supply best heavy plants at \$1.00 per dozen, 25 for \$1.50. Transportation prepaid.

plants this spring we are sure it will pay you to place order early in season. If you decide on large planting in several thousands allow us to quote you special prices.

KANSAS—The advantage in setting a certain per cent to this variety is in the fact it ripens a week ahead of Cumberland and so brings higher prices on the Market. Not quite as large or productive as Cumberland. Berry a jet black and very sweet. Canes hardy and strong.

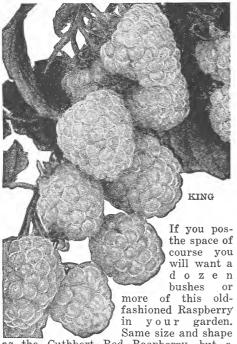
PLUM FARMER—Also an early ripening Black Cap. A large sized grayish black berry. Has the property of ripening its crop in two pickings. This is in favor by some growers while with some it is not.

**SCARFF**—An origination of Ohio. Canes very resistant to disease. Late. First berries to ripen are large and gradually lose size as season advances. Worthy of trial in your location.

Prices on Black Raspberry Plants

Amounts of 500 or over at the 1000 Rate. Either of the 4 listed varieties 12 for 65c, 25 for \$1.00, 50 for \$1.75, 100 for \$2.75, 200 for \$4.60, 300 for \$6.30, 400 for \$8.00, 1000 for \$19.50. All carrying charges paid by us. Write for special price on a several acre planting.

## **GOLDEN QUEEN** YELLOW RASPBERRIES



as the Cuthbert Red Raspberry, but a clear amber color, high flavor. Golden Queen is the old true type and best in this class and is the one we offer. Canes tall strong growers and productive. 12 for \$1.00. 25 for \$1.50.

### RED RASPBERRIES

The Red Raspberry is a profitable fruit to grow. The Market demand varies in certain localities so this should be investigated by the prospective grower on a large scale. The Cuthbert variety is the firmest of the ones we grow and so can be shipped long distances in pint baskets.

PRICES ON RED RASPBERRY PLANTS

500 or over at 1000 rates. **KING**—Ripens earlier, even a little ahead of the Black Caps. Canes are of strong hardy growth. Succeeds best on sandy loam soil. Would not set this variety on real heavy clay. Canes do not winter kill, are productive and ripen their berries well on the outside of the bushes and so

CUTHBERT—Ripens 7 days after King. Canes remarkably strong and hardy. Berries large, rich crimson. The flavor of Cuthbert has never been surpassed. Should not be planted on lighter sand, but does its best on clay and black soil. Cuthbert

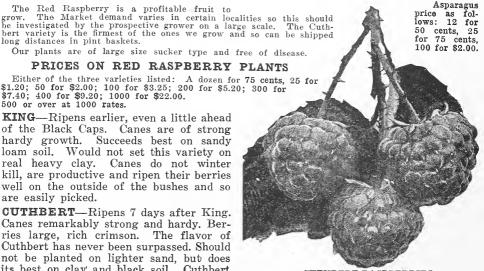
are easily picked.

berries do not fall from the bushes under too ripe or rainy conditions and this fact is well considered by the Commercial growers.

ST. REGIS—A variety suitable for the home garden. Can not be grown at a profit by the Commercial grower in Indiana. An everbearer that produces berries in late summer on the canes of the current summers growth. Bears a fair June crop. People like them in the Garden because of obtaining berries through the late summer and fall months.

#### **ASPARAGUS**

PALMETTO-We believe this to be the best variety for the Comemrcial Grower. A standard variety of mammoth size. Many Gardeners are setting an acre or more in Asparagus. It yields returns and an Asparagus planting once established is profitable for 20 years. The important thing in the planting is in the depth to place the roots. Furrows at least 12 inches deep should be opened. An inch or so of best dirt is scattered in bottom and the roots well spread out placed directly on this and then two inches of top dirt covered over the roots. In a short time the new growing shoots come through and then more dirt is placed around the steadily growing shoots till they reach the top of trench when it is then filled level. By this method cultivation can be carried on each season after the harvesting of the crop with a plow keeping the field in excellent condition, the roots being below plow line and not disturbed. This season we are supplying strong 1 year old roots as this age is more in demand than the large two year size.



CUTHBERT RASPBERRIES

## Choice Blackberries

Set hardy varieties of Blackberries and good profits can be made on them in Indiana and the adjoining states. Don't set such kinds as the King, Early Harvest, Wilson, etc., they always winter kill. Keep well defined fruiting rows and don't let a thicket develop of the new sucker plants. Blackberries will thrive on the black and clay soils and sandy loam if not too light.

OUR PRICES ON EITHER OF THE THREE VARIETIES OF BLACKBERRIES

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Doz.	25	50	100	200	<b>30</b> 0	400	1000
Eldorado\$ .90	\$1.50	\$2.65	\$4.00	\$6.50	\$8.50	\$10.75	\$26.00
Blowers	1.50	2.65	4.00	6.50	8.50	10.75	26.00
Snyder	1.50	2.65	4.00	6.50	8.50	10.75	26.00
OUR PRICES	ON DEW	BERRY	PLANTS	BEING	THE	SAME A	AS FOR

BLACKBERRIES.

ELDORADO—Extra hardy and the most grown Blackberry in the fruit World. The only variety we recommend to the commercial grower. Canes are free of disease and don't have to be protected in the winter. The berries are as large as your thumb, firm, a good, rich, juicy' flavor, have a shiny black color, practically no core. Best all-around Blackberry on the market today. We have an extra fine large stock of Eldorado True to Name plants to offer.

**BLOWERS**—At one time the World's greatest Blackberry till superseded by Eldorado. A large berry of finest flavor with an extra long ripening season extending all through August on our grounds.

SNYDER-An old favorite.

Extra productive. Berries only

run medium size. Canes extra

hardy, never the slightest winter

injury. Successfully grown

## DEWBERRIES

We grow plants of the Lucretia variety only as this is the most hardy type for northern regions. Ripens ahead of any Blackberry. The Dewberry should be in every home garden. Grown more on a commercial scale every year as the grower better understands their culture. The vines can run on the ground the first year. After this a single wire should be stretched on posts two or three feet high. Vines are fastened to this and in this position harvesting is an easy matter. Soon as the berries are gone the old canes are cut to the ground and burned. The new growing canes which produce the next summer's crop can be allowed to run along on the ground and are then covered with straw same as

tion. They are then trained up on the wire at the opening of spring. Our plants are heavily rooted and finest that can be

strawberries for winter protec-

on most all soils. Ripens
after Eldorado is gone.

ELDORADO

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Fry Bros. Nursery, Lafayette, Ind.

I am ready to plant 500 strawberry plants. Mr. Bess of Elwood boosts the bearing strength and roots of your Howard No. 17. Bears twice as many berries as Gibson.

Yours truly,

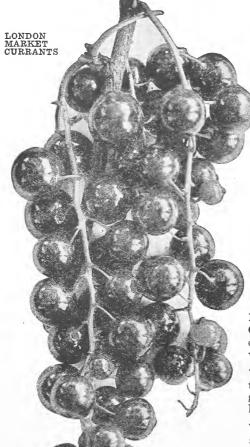
E. B. Scofield.

# Choice Varieties of Currants

Currants are always in good demand, for on account of the large amount of Pectin they contain they are especially desirable for making jellies, jams, preserves, pies, tarts, etc. They are easily grown and every home garden should contain at least a dozen or so of the leading varieties.

FRY BROS.	PRICES ON	LARGE	TWO	YEAR	CURRANT	BUSHES

	Each	12	25	100
Black Currants	\$ .20	\$1.90	\$3.50	\$12.00
London Market	20	1.90	3.50	12.00
Red Cross	20	1.90	3.50	<b>12.0</b> 0
Wilder	20	1.90	3.50	12.00
White Grape	20	1.90	3.50	12.00
PRICES ON STRON	G ONE YE	EAR BUSH	ES	
•	$\mathbf{E}$ ach	12	25	100
London Market	\$ .15	\$1.50	\$2.90	\$9.50
Red Cross	15	1.50	2.90	9.50
Wilder	15	1.50	2.90	9.50
White Grape		1.50	2.90	9.50
Perfection	30			



BLACK CURRANTS—We have calls every season for this variety and so grow several hundred bushes each year. Our Bl. Naples variety is a strong growing bush, productive and hardy.

LONDON MARKET—Red. Likely the quickest variety of all to get into profitable bearing and best for the commercial grower. Berries larger than either Victoria or North Star. Bush is healthy and wonderfully productive. Fruit hangs on bushes well after being fully ripe and remains in prime condition. You will make no mistake in planting freely to this variety.

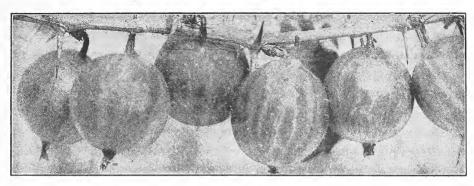
PERFECTION—Red. The largest and fanciest thing in red Currants. Recommended for the home garden. Takes longer to get into bearing than London Market. Bush grows strong and upright. Berries extra large, bright red, rich, mild, sub-acid flavor.

RED CROSS—Red. Sweetest of the red Currants. Bush large strong grower. Exceedingly productive. Clusters are long with berries of medium size.

WILDER—Red. Valuable because it is the earliest ripening currant on our grounds. Extra productive and has long keeping qualities.

WHITE GRAPE—White. Bush vigorous, somewhat spreading. Very productive, fruit clusters large to very large. Very attractive in color, of mild flavor and good quality. A fine table variety. Should be in every home garden.

## Fry Brothers Gooseberry Bushes



Our propogation is from rooted layers which means the strongest bushes possible to grow. Set both Currant and Gooseberry plants early, they leaf out first thing in the Spring. Don't delay planting till up in May. An exceedingly profitable fruit. The market is rarely oversupplied as gooseberries can be gathered and marketed through a very long season.

PRICES	ON	STRONG	TWO	YEAR	GOOSEBERRIES

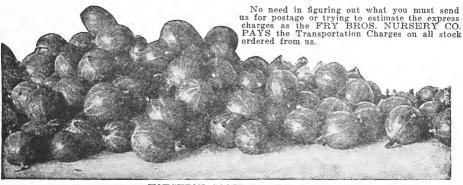
		Each	12	25	100
Downing		\$ .25	\$2.25	\$4.00	\$14.00
Houghton			2.25	4.00	14.00
•	PRICES ON ST	RONG ONE	YEAR BUSH	ES	
		Each	12	25	100
Downing		\$ .20	\$1.75	\$3.00	\$10.00
Houghton			1.75	3.00	10.00
Chautaugua		.30	3.00		

**CHAUTAUQUA**—An excellent variety for the home garden. Large greenish yellow, of excellent quality, sweet and high flavored. Vigorous upright bushes, hardy and

productive.

**DOWNING**—The most profitable commercial variety on account of its great productiveness, and remarkable shipping qualities. The fruits are large, pale green, and of best quality both for dessert and cooking. The bushes are vigorous upright growers, keeping the fruit free of the ground. Mildew proof. Can easily be harvested by stripping the branches with gloved hands. The winnowing of the leaves can be done with an ordinary fanning mill, the same as beans. Plant Downing Gooseberries between your young Apple trees and bring the orchard into bearing on their profits.

**HOUGHTON**—This season we are growing but one variety of the red Gooseberries and Houghton stands at the head in productiveness and dependability. They can be harvested before ripening and used the same as the green type of Gooseberry. When ripe they are a pale brownish red and most excellent for jam and preserves. Houghton is likely the heaviest yielder of all gooseberries. Bush spreading habit.



HOUGHTON GOOSEBERRIES



# Choice Grape Vines



CAMPBELL'S EARLY

\$500 per acre is the returns you can expect from a vineyard and the cost of their planting is a mighty low item. Probably no other fruit brings in as large cash returns with as little care. Most all cultivation is done by Horse or motor power, little hand work being required except in the harvesting. Of course every home should have their Grape Arbor. When you set a vineyard your income is sure and permanent.

CONCORD—(Black). Without any question the leading commercial grape on the Continent. Due to its high degree of fruitfulness and its great adaptability to practically any soil, it can be produced so cheaply that no other grape can compete with it in the markets. Blossoms late and therefore seldom suffers from late frosts. Grape juice is made almost entirely from Concord grapes. Vines hardy and healthy. Bunches

and berries of fair size, glossy black, abundant bloom, and of good quality. Ripens here middle of September.

CAMPBELL'S EARLY—(Black). An extra early black grape. Fruit in large handsome clusters. Ideal for home garden. Often ripens near first of August on our grounds.

CATAWBA—(Red.)—A very late ripening grape. Should be planted on medium heavy soils. Long keeping qualities, lasting up to March in storage.

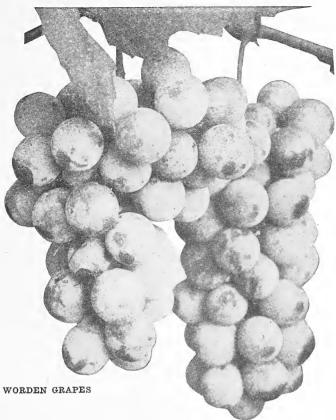
**DELAWARE**—(Red). At its best on medium or gravelly soil. Likely the highest quality of all grapes regardless of color. Ripens ahead of Concord. Berries small, bright red.

MOORES EARLY—(Black). The best early black Commercial grape. Ripens two weeks ahead of Concord. Vines vigorous, hardy and moderately productive. Succeeds on most any variety of soil. Quick growing.

NIAGARA—(White). The leading Commercial white grape and the most productive. Succeeds on all soils. An ideal table grape and two or three vines should be in every garden. Bunch and berries large and handsome, very compact and high quality. Vines vigorous and hardy, quickly covering an overhead arbor. Ripens with Concord and maybe a few days earlier.

ALL TRANSPORTATION CHARGES ARE PAID BY US

Perhaps you never thought of Fruit Growing as a Money Making proposition. Maybe Fruits have only appealed to you for use on your own table. If that is the case you will be surprised to learn that there is more and quicker money to be made in growing Fruits than in any other line of Farming. From one acre can be made more money than from a whole field of Corn, Hay, Oats, or other grain.



#### WORDEN: THE WORLD'S HIGHEST QUALITY BLACK GRAPE.

Quite a few years ago our attention was drawn to the Worden grapes in our Vineyard. Everyone who has seen them have but the one verdict:"Greatest Black Grape of them all." Bunch large, usually shouldered, very com-Berries nearly pact. twice as large as Concord. Higher quality. Sweetest grape we ever tasted. Skin thin and tender, can not be takon the Market. WORDEN IS TOO GOOD A GRAPE TO SELL. Set these Worden Grapes in your garden and have the wonderful treat of eating them fresh from the vines.

#### FRY BROS. TRUE STRAIN OF WOR-DEN GRAPE.

We have three long rows of Worden grapes in our Vineyard. The cuttings are taken from these yielding vines for our propogation of stock we supply our Customers. Don't delay another season the setting of our Worden grapes in your home planting. Vines are strong rapid growers, they will succeed on your soil and quickly get into bearing. Set them anywhere, the heavier the soil, the sweeter the flavor. They will not fail you in your expectations.

#### OUR PRICES ON LARGE HEAVILY ROOTED GRAPE VINES, 2 YEARS OLD

	Each	12	25	100
Concord	\$ .20	\$1.80	\$3.25	\$11.00
Campbell's Early		3.00	•	
Catawba		3.00		
Delaware	35	3.00		
Moore's Early	35	3.00		
Niagara		2.40	4.25	15.00
Worden		2.40	4.25	15.00

#### PRICES FOR STRONG ONE YEAR OLD VINES

	Each	12	25	100
Concord	\$ .15	\$1.20	\$2.15	\$7.50
Campbell's early		2.50	,	
Catawba		2.50		
Delaware		2.50		
Moore's Early		2.50		
Niagara		1.80	3.25	11.00
Worden		1.80	3.25	11.00

## FRUIT TREES

Set our correctly, the principle is the same for all varieties. Dig opening of a size so roots will go in without crowding. The depth should be so tree will stand as deep or a few inches deeper than when in our Nursery rows. The upper surface dirt should be thrown back in opening first directly about the roots and well firmed.

SPRING PLANTING—Leave the dirt nearly level with a slight hollow about the tree, this allows the water to run down about the roots. Keep the sod and

weeds back from the tree the first year and give some cultivation.

FALL PLANTING—Mound dirt and sod at least a foot high about each tree trunk after setting. This steadies the tree against winter winds and sheds the water away from the trunk which is the proper thing to take the new set trees through the winter. Always rake this dirt away at the opening of spring.

Orchardists and Nurserymen differ on many points in propogation. We are certain however in one matter of the quickness of getting trees into profitable bearing. The practice of taking buds or using scions from large fruiting trees for the budding or grafting of the wished for varieties on our seedling stock means a gain of one year for you in production of fruit. We do not take the buds from the small trees in adjoining Nursery rows. All varieties of fruit Trees we offer are the dependable sort of known and recognized value, the result of many years and practical investigation on our part.

## APPLES

It surely does not pay to set one year old Apple, the tree seems too tender and weak for transplanting. Get sure and quicker results by setting our 2 year old well matured trees. The Apple is without doubt the most important Orchard fruit in America. A recent census of the U.S. Dept. of Agriculture reveals the fact that in spite of the steadily increasing demand for the fruit that the old Orchards are dying out faster than new ones are planted. The far-sighted Orchardist who takes advantage of this fact and sets trees this Spring will reap rewards upon his wise decision.

We propogate from bearing orchards. Our fruit trees bear younger.

#### PRICES ON ANY OF THE VARIETIES LISTED

Strong Two Year Old Trees, Well Branched Each 10 25 100 \$ .60 \$5.00 Size 5 to 7 feet..... \$11.25 \$42.00 Size 4 to 5 feet..... .50 4.20 36.00



DUCHESS APPLES

The red Delicious is too well known to need description. The peculiar hardiness of the tree makes it a most valuable variety to plant everywhere. In keeping it ranks with the best, coming out of storage in March and April in perfect condition.

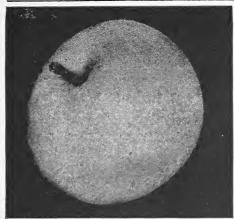
name implies. Originated in Iowa.

All its

**DELICIOUS**—(Winter).

Don't omit it in your planting of either the Commercial or home orchard. Our strain is genuine.

DUCHESS-(Early Fall).-Best known of the Russian apples. Succeeds every-



YELLOW TRANSPARENT

where even in the Northwest where other varieties fail. Fruit large, round, stripped with red and yellow, tender and juicy. Tree bears young.

GRIMES GOLDEN—(Autumn). One of our favorites and was planted largely in an orchard we set last fall. A medium to large apple of beautiful golden color and of the very highest quality. Can be packed in boxes for the finest trade. Brings the highest price of all. Hardy and vigorous. Quickly comes into bearing. Apples are ready for use in September, and keep till around the Christmas season. The Grimes blossoms 'ate in Spring so the frosts seldom catches them. On the University grounds here it has not failed in bearing a single season.

JONATHAN—(Winter). Our favorite of all the red apples. Supreme quality. In flavor we would place it at the head of any list of apples regardless of variety. Medium size, round, oblate, very juicy and tender, of mild sub-acid flavor. Excellen market sort. Apples will keep till April. Tree vigorous and hardy. Gets

into bearing very young.

MAIDEN BLUSH — (Autumn). In great demand on the local market, the apples coming on as they do all through the month of September. An old favorite. Medium sized, smooth, beautifully blushed with red on creamy yellow. Flesh tender and of good flavor. Tree a fair grower and productive.

McINTOSH—(Winter). Large, dark red, flesh white, very tender, splendid quality. A prolific bearer, but inclined

to drop. Keeps till February.

RAMBO—(Early Winter). Greenish yellow mottled with stripes of red. An old well known sort of good quality. Rambo has served long and faithful as many people's ideal of what a delicious Apple should be. Keeps till January.

RED ASTRACHAN—(Summer). Our favorite in the Summer Apples. Ripens a short time ahead of the Transparent and we believe the tree gets into bearing sooner. Tree vigorous, upright, hardy, and productive. Fruit medium to large, red striped on greenish yellow. Flavor acid. Early August.

STAYMANS WINESAP—(Winter). Dr. Stayman made a great improvement in the old Winesap in the origination of his wonderful apple. The Stayman is larger, higher quality, and we believe the quickest tree of any variety to get into bearing. Bears big crops of apples every year. Color, red on yellow. Flesh fine, crisp, high flavor. November to May. Planted heavily through all the Middle West.

YELLOW TRANSPARENT—(Summer). Of Russian origin. Valuable for the Home Orchard and also the market in many localities. Starting to ripen in July it runs over a period of 4 weeks. A clear lemon yellow color, smooth waxen surface, of good quality, with crisp flesh. Tree a sure and early bearer.

**WEALTHY**—(Fall)—Hardy, thrifty, and a good bearer. Fruit medium, roundish, smooth, mostly covered with dark red, flesh white, fine grained, juicy, sub-acid, good quality. Will keep till January. For market, dessert, and cooking.

**HYSLOP**—A really fine eating apple. Will keep till up in January. Fruit is borne in large ornamental clusters. Fine for preserves. Tree hardy and productive. Crab apple large, dark crimson.

TRANSCENDENT—Red and yellow striped. The largest crab apple. Ripens in September. Keeps about 10 days. Finest for jelly of all apples. Tree vigorous and a beautiful shape.



## **Peaches**

The Peach holds its place second only to Apples in the United States. The trees get into bearing almost as soon as Blackberries or Grapes. It ripens over a long period and with proper selection of varieties a succession of fruit may be had throughout the Summer and early Fall. The Peach even adapts itself more than the majority of Apples and will thrive on even thinner soils. There is also a mistaken belief that the Peach is a short lived tree and the facts are that if the Borers are controlled and a spraying of Lime sulphur given in the dormant season that easily controls Leaf Curl to maintain the vitality, a peach tree can be retained in profitable bearing for many years. Many Orchard men have told us if they can get even two good crops of peaches from an Orchard it is a profitable investment. This can be doubled several times. The home peaches on local markets never sell for less than \$3.00 per bushel. There is a mighty big differenc in the flavor of a Peach when picked ripe from the trees than in the shipped lots taken green from the Orchards. The Public will gladly pay the difference. All Orchardists use the Peach as a filler planting between their young Apple trees. Take advantage of the increasing demand and plant heavy on Peach this Spring. Our varieties are a selected list from many hundreds all thoroughly tried and tested. Best results are obtained by setting the one year age in Peach trees. We supply trees in this age, straight and well branched.

#### PRICE OF PEACH TREES

	Each	10	25	100
5 to 6 feet	\$ .50	\$4.00	\$9.25	\$32.00
3 to 5 feet	40	3.30	7.50	26.00
A SURE CURE FOR THE BORER-	-Paradichl	lorobenzine.	This	

remedy can be purchased from any drug store. Best applied in September. Remove the dirt from about the trees in a circle of 12 inches radius. Apply in a circle 4 inches away from trunk, using a table-

spoonful to a 5 year tree. Cover by mounding the dirt back against the tree. The gas resulting from this mixture is sure death to the borers and means saving your tree.

CHAMPION—We claim this to be the highest in quality of all the white fleshed peaches. The skin is creamy white with splashes of carmine and darker red. Ripens in late August. Extra large. In addition to its tender flesh, juicyness and pleasant flavor, it has a peculiar honeyed sweetness that gives it individuality. Freestone.

Champions are planted every year through the middle West. Noticeable for the regularity of its bearing.

ELBERTA—The Commercial peach. All points considered likely the best of the Yellow peaches. Freestone. Ripens in early August. Large, yellow with red cheek. Firm, juicy of high flavor when taken ripe from the trees. Exceedingly prolific and hardy. Does well both North and South. A peach whose place is hard to fill with any other variety. Prized for dessert, canning and culinary purposes.

**HALE**, J. H.—Nearly round. Freestone. Originated by J. H. Hale of Georgia and is heralded throughout the country as one



of the greatest peaches ever discovered. The tree is a very strong, vigorous grower resembling the Elberta tree. The Peach is of a deep golden color, overspread with bright red, has smooth thick skin. The flesh is firm, highest quality, fine grained, and deep yellow in color.

MAYFLOWER—Cling stone. Most growers agree that this variety is the earliest to ripen in cultivation. Ripens here in early July. A sure and abundant cropper. Bright red cheeked. Small to medium in size. Has its place in every home orchard.

ROCHESTER

ROCHESTER—Freestone. A remarkable early Peach which seems to combine the high qualities of the old Crawford and Elberta. Beginning to take its place as one of the best early peaches. An extremely early bearer. A customer writes us that he picked 11 large peaches from a Rochester the following summer after setting, this in 1923. The fruit is large, yellow, mottled with red in color, juicy flesh, rich and sweet in flavor. Ripens here end of July. Trees are strong growers, hardy and productive.

## Standard Pears

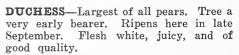
The varieties we list do well for Indiana planting. We recommend all of them to you without hesitation. Pear trees thrive best on rich soil, seeming to prefer the Clay types as a whole. They do well on hillsides.

## PRICES ON BEST GRADE 2 AND 3 YEAR OLD TREES. EITHER OF THE VARIETIES

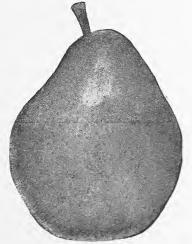
5	to	6	feetEach	\$1.00	10 f	or \$8.50
4	to	5	feetEach	.85	10 <b>f</b>	or 7.50

BARTLETT—Most popular pear for both home use and market. The blight on pear trees can be easily controlled by cutting back the infected limbs 6 inches from blight appearance. Bartlett should be in every Garden and Orchard. Large golden yellow with reddish blush. Flesh tender melting and juicy, with a most delicious musky flavor. Tree vigorous, an erect grower, bears abundantly and young. Ripens in early September.

**CLAPPS FAVORITE**—A large, long, lemon colored pear, richly flushed with red on the sun exposed side. Ripens ahead of Bartlett by 10 days. Tree hardy and a good bearer.



SECKEL—The small size and peculiar, rich, juicy flavor of this variety make it the most desirable for pickling and preserving. It is generally conceded to be the sweetest of all pears and is greatly prized as a dessert fruit to eat from the tree. The Seckel has proved to be the most productive of all Pears on our grounds. Tree strong grower and assumes a natural pyramidal habit and belongs in the ornamental class.



CLAPPS FAVORITE

### QUINCES

**ORANGE QUINCE**—No home garden is complete without some Quince trees. We favor this variety. The trees thrive on heavy wet soil or practically any soil. The fruit is large, bright, golden yellow, excellent flavor. Fine for domestic use. Used largely in the preparation of jellies and preserves.

Our trees are large two year averaging 5 feet at price of \$1.20 each.

### RHUBARB

Don't attempt to grow Rhubarb from seeds, it will not come true. We grow the famous LINNAEUS variety from root divisions and we can supply you the best and mostly used variety for pie purposes. Large stalks, early and fine. Every home should have a dozen Rhubarb. We supply large well crowned roots at, each for 15c; 10 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.00.

## **Choice Plums**

The plum delights in a cool and rich soil. We no longer grow the red plums, the varieties we list are reliable and the kind and color that are in demand on the market. You can safely plant our varieties knowing that you have a profitable Commercial Orchard. We are setting a number of Plum trees ourselves as a Commercial proposi-

tion. As with our other fruit trees our stock is from propogation by buds of bearing trees.

#### YEAR OLD NO. 1. 10 5 to 6 feet .....\$1.00 \$8.50 7.50

BRADSHAW—Dark Purple. Large. Trees are hardy, bear regularly, and abundantly, well formed and healthy. Flesh yellow, juicy, sweet, semi-free stone. Ripens in late July.

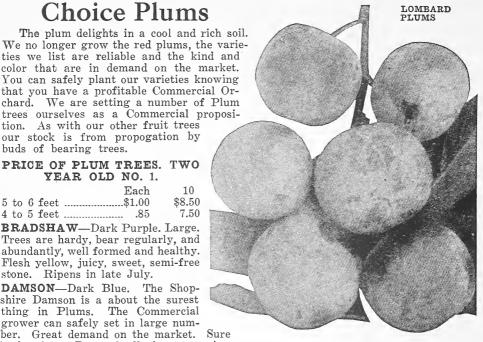
DAMSON-Dark Blue. The Shopshire Damson is a about the surest thing in Plums. The Commercial grower can safely set in large number. Great demand on the market. Sure in bearing. Best of all the preserving Cling stone. Flesh greenish. Ripens in middle September. Tree hardy, vigorous and enormously productive.

**LOMBARD**—Purple. A great favorite. Believe the Lombard will adapt itself to any soil. Thrives on our wettest and heaviest soil. Rapid growing tree. Ripens in middle August. Freestone. Fruit extra large, not of the highest quality, but does well for canning preserves, and Tree robust and healthy, quick cooking. to get into bearing.

MOORES ARCTIC—Purplish black, medium size, juicy, sweet. The tree is very late in bloom making it most hardy in bud. Immense bearer. Ripens in September.

REINE CLAUDE-Yellow. Known as the Green Gage. Not as certain as an annual bearer, but yields immense crops when it hits, best plum of the yellow kind for Indiana planting. Medium size. Freestone. Greenish yellow. Ripens in Sept. Tree grows upright and extra large, hardy and healthy.

SHIPPERS PRIDE-Dark Blue. high in quality, but in great favor of the growers because it can be shipped the greatest distance of any plum. Flesh a greenish yellow, firm and sweet. hardy, healthy, and productive.



## **Apricots**

Ripening as it does between Cherries and Peaches, the Apricot is a most welcome fruit, both tempting and delicious. No home should be without a few trees. In addition to its value as a fresh fruit it is a superior fruit for drying and canning, vast quantities being used for this purpose every year. Good dependable varieties have been introduced for this section and their hardiness can not be disputed. We set a number of Apricots in a new orchard in fall of 1924 and they passed through the extra severe winter that followed without a twig being winter killed and started off with great vigor this spring of 1925.

ALEXANDER—Of Russian origin and an immense bearer. Fruit of medium size, oblong, yellow, flecked with red, sweet and delicious. An early bearer.

SUPERB—A hardy seedling from Kansas and proving the most desirable and reliable Apricot grown. Of good size, light salmon color with numerous red or russet Flesh yellow, firm, sub-acid and dots. good. Tree hardy and productive.

Our Apricot trees are 5 to 6 feet in height, well branched at price of Each 85c, 10 for \$7.50.

## Cherries

Because our Cherry trees are budded on Mahaleb roots they will thrive in a great variety of soils. In planting a large Cherry Orchard however it would be best to select a rather dry location and medium weight soils. Also Orchardists are resorting more to the planting of strong pollenizers. Of course the main plantings for this section are to the sour varieties, but the greatest results it is demonstrated is attained by the placing about every tenth tree of a sweet variety and the Black Tartarian is we believe the best of all for this purpose. For the Home garden or city lot in every case there is usually some neighbors tree or one no great distance away of different variety that takes care of the pollinization because of the visits of the bees. Every home should

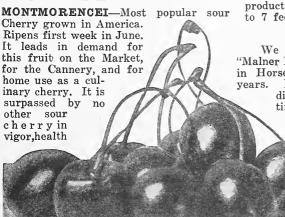
## FRY BROS. PRICES ON TWO YEAR CHERRY TREES

have several growing Cherry trees.

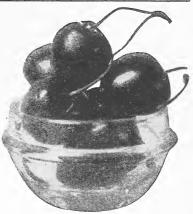
			_	Each	10
5	to	6	feet\$	31.00	\$8.50
4	to	5	feet	.85	7.50

**EARLY RICHMOND**—Everywhere a popular cherry. Tree a strong thrifty grower, making a large symmetrical head, fruit medium size, dark red, melting, juicy, sprightly acid flavor and especially valuable for cooking and pies. Tree an early and abundant bearer. Ripens last of May.

**ENGLISH MORELLO**—A late ripening sour cherry, an old favorite that is yet quite largely planted. Ripens in August. Cherry is very dark red, becoming almost black when ripe. Trees are hardy and rather dwarfish in habit.



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TARTARIAN CHERRIES

and productiveness. The fruit is dark red when ripe, tender, juicy, and of highest quality. Tree hardy and very productive. TARTARIAN—Black. The only sweet cherry as yet we are growing on our grounds as we believe this variety to be the best all around for Indiana and adjoining states planting, that is in the Sweet varieties. Tree very desirable as an ornamental. Best cherry for table Produces large crops of heartuse. shaped cherries, bright, glossy, purplish Flesh tender, juicy, rich and of best quality. Ripens at same time as Montmorencei.

### **MULBERRY**

**DOWNING MULBERRY**—Desirable as both an ornamental and fruit tree. The berries are large, black, handsome, delicious. Tree a strong vigorous grower and productive. Prices on No. 1 trees size 5 to 7 feet. Each \$1.10.

### HORSERADISH

We grow the new Bohemian variety "Malner Kren," without doubt the best thing in Horseradish. Once planted lasts for years. Immense yielder, and ready for digging the coming fall after setting. Strong roots at price of 10 for 40c, 25 for 75c, 100

for 40c, 25 for 75c, 100 for \$2.50.

"If the Farmer makes his purchases direct from the Nurseryman he will save the expense of the Agent and is less liable to mistakes and injury that might occur through repeated handling."—

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# Shade Trees

#### WHY PLANT TREES

Trees add value to property.

Trees protect pavements from the hot sun.

Trees provide homes for thousands of birds and help man in his right against injurious insects.

Trees provide one of the most striking and permanent forms of beauty.

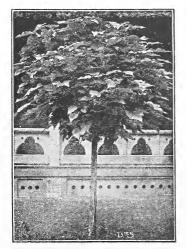
AILANTHUS—A hardy tree from Japan. Leaves of tropical effect. Well known by the name "Tree of Heaven." Reaches height of 40 feet. Size 6 to 8 ft. Each \$1.00, 3 for \$2.50. 8 to 10 ft. Each \$1.50, 3 for \$3.50.

ARALIA, SPINOSA—Desirable small tree with stout prickly stems and compound leaves, flowers creamy white in huge panicles sometimes two feet Gives a tropical appearance to landscape planting. Size 2 to 3 ft., each 75c. 3 to 4 ft., each \$1.00.

ASH, AMERICAN-A beautiful shaped tree, tall, rapid grower. For street and lawns. 6 to 8 ft. Each 90c, 3 for \$2.00. 8 to 10 ft. Each, \$1.50.

ASH, MOUNTAIN—A fine Ornamental tree reaching height of 25 feet. Head dense and regular, covered from July to winter with great clusters of bright red berries. Size 5 to 6 feet. Each \$1.50.

CATALPA, SPECIOSA—A tree that can be planted to great advantage by farmers for a quick shade for stock along pasture fences, etc. Hardy, rapid in growth, covered with large white flowers in June. Reaches height of 45 feet. Size 6 to 8 ft., each 60c; 10 for \$4.50. 8 to 10 ft., each 95c; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$6.00. For grove



CATALPA BUNGEI



AMERICAN ELM

planting we can supply the small trees of 3 feet height for \$3.00 per 100.

BUNGEI—Umbrella CATALPA, heads making growth of 3 feet or so in height and 5 to 10 feet across grafted on stems 5 to 6 feet in height. Very desirable for setting along walks, at entrances, or on terraces at the tops of steps. The stems increase in diameter, but retain their same height while the top continues to broaden. The trees we supply are of large two year old heads. On stems of 5

feet in height. Price each, \$2.50; 3 for \$6.00. stems of 6 feet, price each \$3.00; 3 for \$7.50.

CRAB, BECHTELS FLOWERING—Handsome little tree growing to height of 12 feet. Produces in profusion delicate, double pink flowers in May. Very fragrant. Height of 2 to 3 feet, each \$1.00; 3 to 4 feet, each \$1.25.

ELM, AMERICAN—A noble native tree of large size, wide spreading head and graceful, drooping branches. One of the grandest park and street trees. Size 6 to 8 feet, each 90c; 3 for \$2.00. 8 to 10 feet, each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.50.

JUDAS TREE.—The deep pink flowers appear on the leafless twigs very early in the spring hence its common name of "Red Bud." Size 3 to 4 ft., each 85c; 3 for \$2.00. 4 to 5 feet, each 95c; 3 for \$2.40. MAPLE, SOFT OR SILVER—The largest sale of all our Ornamental trees. Very desirable because of its rapid growth where quick shade is needed. Grows to height of 60 feet, forming a large spreading head. Succeeds everywhere. Size 6 to 8 feet, each \$1.00; 10 for \$8.00. 8 to 10 ft., each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.25.



NORWAY MAPLE

MAPLE, SUGAR OR HARD—A very popular American tree and for its stately form and fine foliage justly ranked among the very best both for the lawn and the Avenue. Size 6 to 8 ft., each \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00. 8 to 10 ft., each \$2.75; 3 for \$7.00.

MAPLE, NORWAY—Of fairly rapid growth, reaching a height of 60 ft. Sturdy, compact and vigorous, forming a rounded head of stout branches and broad deep green leaves. Fine as a specimen on the lawn or street. Size 6 to 8 ft., each \$2.50; 3 for \$6.00. 8 to 10 ft., each \$3.25; 3 for \$8.50.

MAPLE, ASH LEAVED—Commonly known as Box Elder. A hardy fast growing tree about 60 feet high. Distinguished by its greenish yellow bark. Size 6 to 8 ft., each 85c; 3 for \$2.00. 8 to 10 ft., each \$1.50; 3 for \$3.00.

MULBERRY, TEAS WEEPING—A weeping head grafted on a Russian Mulberry trunk 5 to 6 feet in height. The most graceful weeping tree known. Our prices are for trees with strong two year old heads that develop into a fine specimen by the second year. Price each \$3.50.

**OAK, RED**—Best all around of the Oaks. Rugged, long lived. Glorious in its Autumn foliage. Size 6 to 8 ft., each \$2.50; 3 for \$6.00. 8 to 10 ft., each \$3.00.

POPLAR, LOMBARDY—A tall tapering, narrow tree, 80 feet in height at maturity, a striking feature in any landscape. Fine for planting in groups, along drives, or to make boundary lines. Often used for tall screen hedges. Does not have in any way the objectionable features of the Carolina poplar. Many are planted each year as people come to know them. Note our low prices for these shapely specimen trees. Size 6 to 8 ft., each 85c; 10 for \$5.00; 25 for \$10.00. 8 to 10 ft., each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.40.

**POPLAR, NORWAY**—Resembles the Carolina poplar, but of even more rapid growth. Of no value for city planting. For wind brakes or quick shade for stock on the farms it is the tree to fill this place. Size 6 to 8 ft., each 60c; 10 for \$4.00. 8 to 10 ft., each 85c; 10 for \$6.00.

**SYCAMORE**—A desirable street tree. Our European variety is a quick grower. Lofty, wide, spreading. Size 6 to 8 ft., each \$1.25. 8 to 10 ft., each \$1.75.

**RUSSIAN OLIVE**—Small tree attaining a height of 20 feet. Bark a rich silver color. Size 4 to 5 feet, each 75c; 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.00.

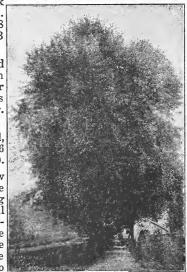
**TULIP TREE**—Beginning to be largely planted because of its selection as the State tree. Well known as Yellow Poplar. Always transplant this tree in spring, and use trees of not over 6 feet in height. In size of 5 to 6 feet we can supply at \$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.00.

WALNUT, JAPAN—A nut tree that is also a beauty as an ornamental. Handsome form, rapid

grower, immense leaves, hardy. Size 4 to 5 ft.,each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50.

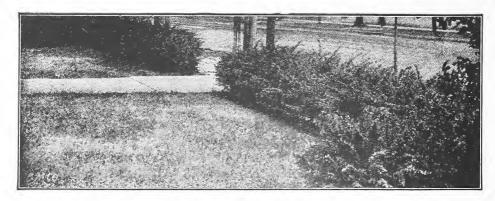
WILLOW, BABYLONIAN—Well known and most graceful tree of large size. Its fresh, bright green tint and long wavy branches make it most attractive. Size, 6 to 8 ft., each \$1.00.

ALL Transportation Charges are paid on Ornamental Trees same as other stock.



SOFT MAPLE

## ORNAMENTAL HEDGES

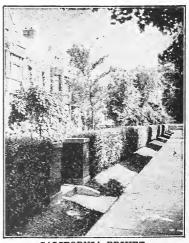


A small amount of money invested in beautiful hedges will add more value to a country or city home property, dollar for dollar, than any other similar investment. A hedge planted about the borders of a lawn will transform a heretofore bare looking spot into a place of beauty, and you can keep it low or let it go high, as a screen. City lots may be divided by Hedging with fine effect.

CALIFORNIA PRIVET—Has the shiniest bright green leaf of them all. Can be kept at a height of 3 to 5 feet as desired. Usually planted in single rows at distance of 7 inches apart. Winter kills in extra severe winter but the new growth quickly springs from the roots and a good showing is made by middle summer. Very safe against winter killing in sections below Indianapolis in all winters. We supply strong, well branched and heavily rooted plants at prices as follows: 12 to 18 inch, each 10 cents; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$5.50. 18 to 24 in., each 15 cents; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00. BARBERRY, JAPANESE---A ornamental shrub, fitting in as single specimens and groups anywhere. most beautiful of all hedges. A low shrub with brown horizontal branches, growing so thick and matted that even though the leaves fall in winter the hedge still is dense. Add to that the appearance of the bright scarlet berries growing almost as thick as the leaves and fresh till spring and you have an idea of its winter garb. Our prices on 3 and 4 year old plants extra bushy are: 12 to 18 inch, each 25c; 12 for \$2.40; 100 for \$16.00. 18 to 24 inch, each 35c; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00.

AMOOR RIVER, NORTH—A valuable ornamental Shrub for hedging and border. Hardy anywhere in the United States. Glossy green foliage, and holds its color most the entire year. Will stand clipping to any extent. Makes a nice solid wall by setting a little farther apart than Calif. Privet. Plants can be set 9 inches apart. We have a large growing stock of this desirable variety on our grounds and we offer at the low prices of: 12 to 18 in., each 15c; 12 for \$1.30; 100 for \$8.50. 18 to 24 in., each 20c; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$12.50. All bushy, well branched plants.

IBOTA—Absolutely hardy under all conditions. A native of the mountains of Northern Japan. Of more horizontal growth than Amoor river and so can be placed around 10 inches apart in the rows. Leaves under frost effect most beautiful, assuming a dull red below while the olive green remains above. The black berries are most striking as the leaves fall near Thanksgiving. Sizes 12 to 18 inch, each 15c; 12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$9.00; 18 to 24 inch, each 20c; 12 for \$1.80; 100 for \$13.00.



CALIFORNIA PRIVET

# Best Hardy Roses

**GEN. JACQUEMONT**—Red. An old favorite. Bright crimson, perfect medium sized flowers, very much perfumed and very handsome and brilliant in the bud. General Jack blooms early and profusely. Bush a vigorous grower and compact habit.

**BUSH ROSES** 

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI-White. Very pronounced in its everblooming habit all through the summer and early fall. Snow white. Blooms freely and bush is vigorous grower.

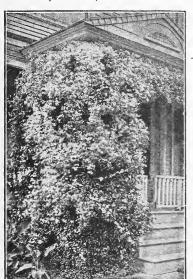
PAUL NEYRON—Pink. rose in cultivation. Blooms very late in Autumn and also a good June bloomer. Flowers are very double and full.

Either of the above three Roses, each 75 cents; 6 for \$3.90. All our Roses are strong Field grown 2 year old No. 1.

SUNBURST-Yellow. Magnificent giant yellow rose suffused with orange copper. all intense shades, giving an extremely brilliant effect. Price \$1.00 each.

### CLIMBING ROSES

CRIMSON RAMBLER-One of the most popular of the Climbers. A rapid grower and perfectly hardy. Flowers in rich clusters of vivid crimson. Will grow 10 to 20 feet the first season. 2 yr., each 75 cents; 6 for \$3.90.



CLEMATIS, PAN.



AMERICAN BEAUTY—Flowers of large size, good form, of rich, red color passing to Crimson. Very fragrant. Same price as the Crimson Rambler.

DOROTHY PERKINS—Beautiful shell pink, which holds for a long time, shading to a lovely deep rose. Very sweet scented, hardy and a strong grower. 2 yr., each 50 cents; 6 for \$2.40.

GARDENIA-Yellow. Buds golden yellow, very attractive. Foliage a dark green, disease free. A very dependable climbing rose. Price same as Dorothy Perkins.

### CLIMBING VINES

CLEMATIS, PAN-Well known as the Sweet scented Japanese Clematis. Possesses unusually attractive merit. A vine of very rapid growth, quickly covering trellises and arbors. Flowers of medium size, pure white, borne in immense sheets and of a most penetrating fragrance. 2 yr. old vines, each 50c; 3 for \$1.25.

**DUTCHMAN'S PIPE**—A very rapid growing vine adapting itself to shaded locations. Large heart shaped leaves, nearly a foot in diameter. Strong two year old vines, 75 cents each.

WISTARIA, PURPLE—Very desirable for back porches, heavy trellises, and Pergolas, also attractive if trained to old trees. Pea shaped purple flowers in dense, pendant clusters sometimes a foot long. Blooms in May. Extra large two and three year old plants, each 60c; 3 for \$1.50.

# **Ornamental Shrubs**

ALMONDS. FLOWERING-A most desirable early flowering shrub, with pink flowers in early May. Grows 6 feet.

Size 2-3 ft., each \$1.00.

**ALTHEA**—Well known as the Rose of Sharon. Unsurpassed by anything for freedom of bloom and range of color. From mid-summer till frost. Grows to 9 feet. We supply plants of mixed colors in red, white, and blue, or purple. We grow from seed and so they come in all the above shades. Size 2-3

ft., each 35c; 3 for 90c; 12 for \$3.00.

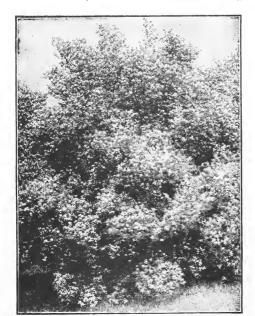
**BUDDLEIA**—A very attractive new attraction in flowering Shrubs. The tops in severe winter will freeze back, but it pushes with such renewed vigor at opening of spring that it is never harmed. Often called the Butterfly Bush and Summer Lilac. The flowers are borne on the tips of every bit of new growth. In August the bushes become masses of purple and violet flowers, very conspicuous. Large 2 year sized

plants each, 65c. 1 year size, each 50c.

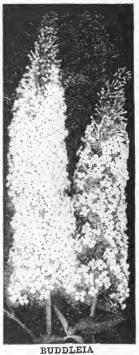
CORNUS, STOLONIFERA-Valuable because of the conspicuous bright red colored twigs in winter time. White flowers. Reaches 4 to 5 feet. Attractive when placed near other shrubs. Size 2 to 3 ft., each 40c. 3 to 4 ft., each 50c; 3 for \$1.20. CURRANT, INDIAN (Red)—Best known as the Coral berry. Suitable as a border planting and in combination with other shrubs. Thrives in shade. Grows to 4 or 5 feet. Its wealth or red berries hug the branches and are quite showy during the the winter. Size 18 to 24 inches. Each 35c; 3 for 85c. 2 to 3 ft., each 40c; 3 for \$1.00.

INDIAN CURRANT (White)—Better known as Snowberry. Can be set in shade. Reaches height of 4 feet. Fits in anywhere, foundation planting, entrances, or grouping at corners. The large white berries

each 50c; 3 for \$1.25.



TARTARIAN HONEYSUCKLE



remain on through middle winter. Size, 18-24 inch, each 35c; 3 for 85c, 2 to 3 feet, CURRANTS, YELLOW FLOWERING—Suitable in shade. A tall shrub with

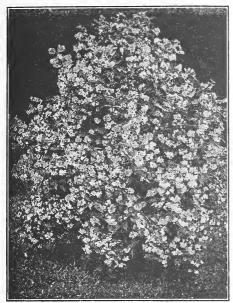
height of 7 feet. Blooms very early in spring with showy yellow flowers. Size, 18-24 inch, each 50c; 2 to 3 feet, each 60c.

**DEUTZIA**, **LEMOINE**—The dwarf Deutzia, height of 30 inches. Flowers pure white, free flowering, June. Used mostly in foundation plantings. Size, 12 to 18 inch, each 50c; 3 for \$1.25. 18 to 24 in., each 65c; 3 for \$1.50.

DEUTZIA, PRIDE OF ROCHESTER-Twice as tall as the above, produces large double white flowers tinged with rose. Size 18 to 24 in, each 40c; 3 for \$1.00.

FORSYTHIA, INTERMEDIA—Succeeds in the shade. First of all shrubs to bloom in the Spring, the golden yellow flowers appearing in great profusion before the leaves form. A splendid variety among the old well known Shrubs. A harbinger of Spring. Grows to 7 feet. Well known as Golden Bell. Size 2 to 3 feet, each 45c; 3 for \$1.10. 3 to 4 ft., each 55c; 3 for \$1.35.

HIGH BUSH CRANBERRY—Tall growing member of the Snowball family. Adaptable to shade. Flowers white, May. Showy red fruit, beautifully colored in Fall. Size 18 to 24 in., each 65c; 3 for \$1.50. 2 to 3 ft., each 85c; 3 for



PHILADELPHUS

HONEYSUCKLE, TARTARIAN PINK -We find this type of Bush honeysuckle to make the most vigorous growth of all the varieties in shrubbery on our grounds. It is adaptable to any soil, it is sure to give wonderful results for you. Should be more widely planted. Grows tall to height of 10 feet or more, but is easily held as a dwarf by cutting out the main center trunks each two or three years. A great favorite with us. Bears an abundance of small pink flowers in June. The beauty of the shrub however is in the mass of showy orange and deep wine colored berries. In certain locations can be used as a tall flowering hedge. Note the low prices on

our large shapely field grown plants. Size 2 to 3 ft., each 50c; 3 for \$1.00. 3 to 4 ft., each 60c; 3 for \$1.35.

HYDRANGEA, ARBORESENCENS — Succeeds well in partially shaded places. A very desirable Hydrangea type and we sell many of them. Dwarf growth usually around 3 or 4 feet. Everblooming in habit, the flowers similar to the white snowball in appearance are in profusion through the summer and

early fall. Well described in its common name of "Hills of Snow." Some set it as a flowering hedge. Suitable anywhere, along foundations, entrances, corners, etc. Size 18 to 24 in., each 60c; 3 for \$1.50. 2 to 3 ft., each 75c; 3 for \$1.90

HYDRANGEA, P. G.—Also a variety of great popularity. Is easy to grow. Never fails to bloom the first season planted. Flowers of immense size, greenish white, gradually changing to pure white and finally to delicate bronze. September. Normally grows to 7 feet, but can be controlled by pruning. Also often set in hedges. Size 18 to 24 in., each 60c; 3 for \$1.50; 2 to 3 ft., each 75c; 3 for \$1.90.

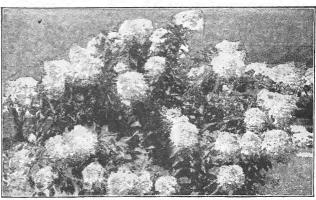
LILAC, PURPLE—The old-fashioned shrub of the long ago. Others may come and go on waves of popular opinion, but the Lilac will ever hold its place in our memories of Childhood. Such old and intimate friends it seems would not need to be described. Upright, easily grown anywhere, must have plenty of sunshine. Size 18 to 24 in., each 50c; 3 for \$1.20. 2 to 3 ft., each 65c; 3 for \$1.50.

**LILAC**, **WHITE**—Same as the purple in every way except the bloom is a pure white. Prices the same as for the purple in the two sizes.

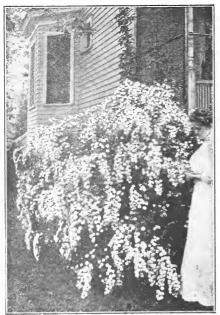
PHILADELPHUS, COR.—Also an old-fashioned shrub, with creamy white flowers borne in clusters. Many know it as Garland Syringa. Strong grower. Suitable for border, screen or specimen planting. Height of 10 feet, blooms in May. Size 18 to 24 in., each 40c; 3 for \$1.00. 2 to 3 ft., each 50c; 3 for \$1.20.

QUINCE, JAPAN—Should be largely planted. Brilliant flowering shrub covered with scarlet bloom early in May or late April. Good for massing or fits in anywhere. Grows to 6 feet. Sizes 18 to 24 in. Each 60c; 3 for \$1.50. 2 to 3 ft., each 75c; 3 for \$1.80.

**SNOWBALL**—The common Snowball is the old fashioned variety so well known to every one that are lovers of flowers. Its balls of pure white literally cover the bush when in bloom. Reaches 10 to 14 feet. Usually in bloom on Decoration day. Size 18 to 24 inches, each 60c; 3 for \$1.50; 2 to 3 feet, each 75c, 3 for \$1.85.



HYDRANGEA ABORESENCENS



SPIREA VAN HOUTTE

SPIREA, ANTHONY WATERER—A fine dwarf spirea with dark crimson flowers. Everblooming habit through all the summer. Hardly ever reaches height of three feet. Used in borders and foreground plantings. Size 12 to 18 in., each, 45c, 3 for \$1.15; 18 to 24 in., each, 55c, 3 for \$1.50.

SPIREA, BILLARDI—Flowers are rose colored. Flowers are in spikes nearly all summer. Height of 7 feet. Size plants. 2 to 3 ft., each 50c; 3 for \$1.10.

SPIREA, FROBELLI—Dwarf shrub. Everblooming color deep pink. Flowers in dense Corymbs. Bush grows to 3 feet. Should be largely planted, fits in anywhere. Hardy and strong growing. Our stock of plants is extra fine specimens. Size 18 to 24 in., each, 50c, 3 for \$1.00: 2 to 3 feet, each, 60c, 3 for \$1.40.

SPIREA, GOLDEN—Succeeds in shade. Tall growing to hight of 7 feet. Can be pruned back. Magnificent in its golden tinted leaves in early spring and summer. White flowers in June. Size 2 to 3 ft., each 55c, 3 for \$1.10; 3 to 4 ft., each 65c; 3 for \$1.50.

SPIREA, THUNBERGI—Dwarf type, height of 4 feet. Beautiful in a combination planting with Jap. Barberry and many other shrubs. Branches slender with bright green leaves, feathery appearance. White flowers in April. Size 12 to 18 in Each 45c, 3 for \$1.00; 18 to 24 in., each 60c. 3 for \$1.50.

SPIREA, VAN HOUTTE—Known by many as the Bridal Wreath. The most largely planted of any and all flowering shrubs. Thrives in shade and open sunshine alike. Reaches height of 6 feet, but in blooming the branches are in graceful curves and weighted to ground with the masses of flat clusters of white flowers. June. Planted everywhere about the home grounds. Often used in hedges and when in bloom a Spirea V. Houtte hedge is a sight long to be remembered. Cannot be too highly recommend-

ed. Charming and beautiful bushes are absolutely hardy and strong growing. Size, 18 to 24 in. Each 25c, 3 for 60c, 10 for \$1.75; 2 to 3 ft., each 35c, 3 for 90c, 10 for \$2.50.

SUMAC, FERN LEAF—The Sumacs appeal to us as a class most for the wonderful fall coloring of the foliage. How well do we remember the vivid red of the wooded hillsides, as Jack frost touched the Sumac leaves. The staghorn or the Fern leafed type is the most ornamental of all the Sumacs. Size 2 to 3 feet. Each 50c, 3 to 4 feet, each 65c.

TAMARIX, AFRICANA—More of these graceful shrubs are planted every year as people realize their worth. Strong and slender growth. Reaches height of 10 feet. Pink flowers, filmy foliage, will thrive on all soils often where many other shrubs fail. Size 2 to 3 feet.. each 35c, 3 for 90c; 3 to 4 feet each 45c, 3 for \$1.20.

WAYFARING TREE—A showy shrub, 10 to 12 feet. White flowers. June. A large vigorous shrub with soft, heavy, lantana like leaves. Berries are red blackening as they ripen. Size 2 to 3 ft. Each 90c, 3 for \$2.40.

WEIGELA, ROSEA—One of the most charming of of all shrubs growing to near 6 feet. A profusion of trumpet shaped rosy pink flowers in early June., completely hiding the foliage. Size 2 to 3 feet, each 60c, 3 for \$1.50.

#### PEONIES

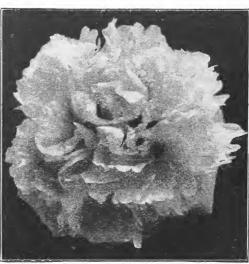
The three colors in Peonies we are offering are among the best in their class. You can set Peonies in spring or autumn with equally good results. No variety however will bloom as early in the same season planted as if they were set in Fall. Growing results are the same set in either season.

ANDRIE LAURIES—Red—Big full flowers. Owing to its fine keeping qualities, its fine coloring under artificial light, and its lasting fragrance, it is one of the standard cut flower varieties.

**QUEEN VICTORIA**—White—Very large globular rose type. Pure white. Tall, strong vigorous grower. Cut flower of this variety keep best of all.

L'ESPERENCE-Pink-Best early pink, fine for decoration, good commercial sort.

All plants we sell are strong division roots with 3 to 5 eyes. Prices—Each of any of the three varieties named—50c, 3 for \$1.25, 6 for \$2.20.



QUEEN VICTORIA PEONY

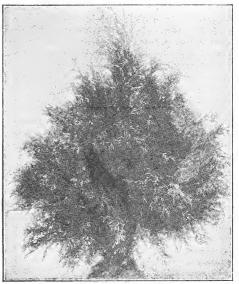
Evergreens

The Evergreen has vouchsafed man in order to give him to understand more fully the Eternal promise of life everlasting. Evergreens typify permanency, defy time and the elements and stand like the silent Sentinels of the old Roman Army who never quit their posts, standing at attention and dying if not relieved. In the bleak Northern winters the Evergreen stands out in the land-scape, fresh, green, and full of cheer.

Our young Evergreens are several times transplanted and grown in rows at sufficient distances to allow perfect symmetrical development. An Evergreen must not have its roots exposed to the sun or wind not even a minute. For this reason large sized trees are dug with a ball of dirt left with the roots and a burlap cloth sewed tightly about it. smaller sizes of trees we are able to mud the roots heavily and cover with wet moss and also cloth. In setting trees with either the mudded or balled roots simply cut through the cloth and then place the roots in the prepared opening, half fill the opening with dirt, pour in water and wait till it sinks away and then finish filling with the dirt firming it well about the trunk. We ship either by Parcel Post or Express Prepaid.



AUSTRIAN PINE



AMERICAN ARBOR VITAE

ARBOR VITAE, AMERICAN (White Cedar)—Used largely years ago for hedges and quite a little yet. Makes a nice specimen when set alone. Can be trained or sheared to many shapes. Erect growing, soft, bright green foliage. Reaches height of over 20 feet. Size 18 to 24 inches, with roots mudded at only \$1.00 each.

**JUNIPER**, **IRISH**—Of slender columnar habit with glaucous green foliage. Useful for formal plantings. At maturity reaches height of 10 ft. Size, 18-24 inch, roots mudded. Each \$1.00. Size 2 to 3 feet, roots balled, each \$1.75.

But the Pines have caught the message, Which the wind bears from the Sea; And its voice is the voice of Ocean, And its talk of Eternity.

**PINE, AUSTRIAN**—A remarkable robust, hardy, wide spreading tree, leaves very long, stiff and dark green. Rapid grower. Succeeds anywhere. Reaches height of 50 feet. Size 15 to 18 inches, mudded roots. Each \$1.00.

**PINE, MUGO**—A most excellent Dwarf pine being around 3 feet at maturity, globe shaped and erect branching, the new growth having the appearance of miniature candles. Size 8 to 12 in. with balled roots, each \$2.00.

SPRUCE, NORWAY—A lofty elegant tree of perfect pyramidal habit, reaching 80 feet at maturity. Very popular and deservedly so. They can be placed anywhere on the lawn and after several years when they gain too much in height can be transplanted to another location where they will have room for their full development. Size 18 to 24 inches with mudded roots. Each \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50.

# Berry Baskets

We have car load lots at our Packing sheds each season. We can ship these bright new Standard Baskets same day your order is received. The Home Gardener needs Berry Baskets same as the Commercial Grower. Even though you don't sell a berry on the city market, and every one is used in home canning you will find a great saving in placing your berries in our Berry Boxes. Berries gathered in buckets and dishpans means crushed, soured, and moulded fruit. In all cases we ship Baskets by Parcel Post. Charges Prepaid by us. On larger lots than 500 we make shipments by Prepaid Freight and wish you to write us for our special prices on such lots. Prices listed good through the entire year of 1926.

AMERICAN STANDARD Q U A R T BASKETS—Used for Strawberr,esi Raspberries, Blackberries, Currants, Gooseberries and Cherries. 24 for 40c, 50 for 70c, 100 for \$1.10, 250 for \$2.40, 500 for \$4.50.

AMERICAN STANDARD PINT BAS-KETS—Used for Everbearing Strawberries, Red Raspberries and Black Raspberries at start of season. Same price as the Quart Baskets.

**FOUR QUART TILL BASKETS**—Used for Grapes, Plums, Peaches, Pears, Tomatoes, and Lima Beans. 12 for 40c, 50 for \$1.25, 100 for \$2.25.

## Fresh Fruit in Season

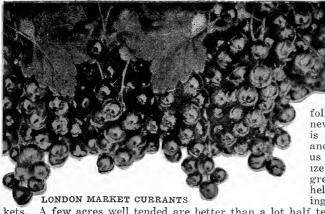
We have quite a large acreage for fruiting purposes of Blackberries, Currants, Gooseberries and Grapes and we expect an abundant crop of these desirable fruits this coming summer. We can make shipment by Parcel Post to you of either of these fruits and use crates holding just the amount of baskets of either you desire. Will reach you the day after leaving our fields. We prepay and will supply at the market price in Lafayette. Have been shipping these fruits several seasons now in this manner.

CURRANTS—Can supply either the Red or White. Have several thousand bearing bushes. Drop us a card for market prices in early June and we can also inform you the day we can ship. Crop will ripen all through this month.

GOOSEBERRIES—Have large field of both the Green and Red type of Gooseberries. Can supply the partly ripe or fully ripe fruit as you desire. Write us for market prices in June, ripen same season as Currants.

BLACKBERRIES—Have not the acreage in Blackberry this year as before, but expect a good crop. Write us in early July. Our variety is the large high quality Eldorado. Should last pretty well up to middle July.

GRAPES—With our new planting coming into bearing we have one of the largest vineyards in the State. Our extra early and high quality sorts begin to ripen in early August. Write us then for prices. Concords last till middle September. Can supply in black, red, and the fine Niagara White varieties. Our grapes are four times summer sprayed, fruit absolutely free of worms, mildew or rot.



## FRUIT GROW-ING FOR THE MARKET

Maybe it is because we always did think Fruit Growing was a pretty good business to

follow. Maybe a person will never get rich at it, but there is a good living in it anyway and that is about all any of us get at any thing. We realize the risk in going at it on a great big scale, hiring a lot of help, hire men to do the selling, and ship to distant mar-

kets. A few acres well tended are better than a lot half tended. Do your own selling and sell direct to the Consumer. Deal honestly with your Customers and give good

measure.

Go up to the store and find what they charge for stale second quality fruit and then go home and figure what can be grown on only an acre in Strawberries, Raspberries, or other tree Fruits.

Of course it is not all fun. There are lots of long hours, hard work, hot work, getting wet in the rain and all that, but it won't kill you. And you are independent. Your business is not limited to any one locality. Probably your own town is as good as any other. Try it and see. Fruit will always sell. Grow some of several varieties till you find which pays best and then grow a more limited line, but don't confine yourself to just Strawberries or Raspberries alone, plant some of the Vine, Bush, or tree fruits, for if something happens to one you are done for then.

Everyone of course should grow fruit for the family, but we are great believers in Market growing. Maybe you don't realize the advantage of Fruit Growing as a business. It is the greatest thing in the world for a boy who wants to do something for himself and every boy wants that. There is nothing he can go into that costs so

little at the start and nothing so sure to succeed with a fair amount of sense and hard work. And you can start anywhere, you don't have to leave home and go somewhere else. It is some advantage to be near town, but along the State Roads or well traveled highways is the best location for the road way Markets. Of course you can sell your fruit to the stores and save time and labor, but we have always found it best to sell direct to the Consumer. You serve an ever increasing demand of the Public and get better prices.

Always sell for cash, credit business will ruin you in less than 20 minutes.

We have been through the mill ourselves, back in 1904 we sold Strawberries for 50 cents a case, but this will never happen again. Then after the war period we saw the price of Nursery stock fall far below the cost figure at which we could possibly produce it, but somehow we lasted through it. We all have our troubles, but if we were to start all over again we would try Fruit Growing.

FRY BROS. NURSERY CO. LAFAYETTE, INDIANA





## J. H. HALE PEACH

A notable variety of recent introduction, magnificent in size and appearance, proven hardier in Michigan than Elberta. Deep golden yellow overlaid with bright Carmine. Ripens in August.

